Allocation for Integrated Development Projects

3989. SHRI MENTAY PADMANABHAM: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to State:

(a) what are the allocations in the Eighth Plan for Integrated Urban Development Projects with State-wise break-up;

(b) whether any financial assistance has been sought from international agencies for Integrated Urban Development Projects;

(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) whether it is a fact that the aid received during the Seventh Plan has not been fully utilised; and

(e) if so, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) The Eighth Plan allocation for the Scheme for Integrated Development of Small and Medium Towns (IDSMT) is Rs. 145.00 crores including Rs. 13 crore for the current financial year 1992-93. State-wise allocation is not made. However, the amount of Central assistance released to each State/UT under the IDSMT Scheme is based on the allocation of towns to each State/UT, project reports submitted by each State/UT and the share of Central assistance required for funding projects in these towns. During 1992-93, project reports on the basis of the revised scheme for the Eighth Plan have not been received from the State Governments.

(b) No financial assistance has been sought from international agencies under the IDSMT Scheme.

(c) to (e) Do not arise in view of reply to (b).

Lack of Civic Amenities in Rohini

3990. MAULANA OBAIDULLAH KHAN AZMI: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the news-item which appeared in the Indian Express dated 18th September, 1992 captioned "D.D.A. Rohini residents in cradle of misery" and the Nav Bharat Times dated 14th September, 1992 captioned "Ubharti Rohini Main upjati samasayey" respectively;

(b) whether it is a fact that there is an acute lack of civil amenities in Rohini residential complex, especially the ones relating to roads, bye-lanes, water supply, sewerage disposal, sanitary condition etc.;

(c) whether it is also a fact that the roads bye-lanes in the entire Rohini have been dug up badly, especially in Sector-III and Sector-VIII leading to water logging on the roads/bye-lanes causing lot of inconvenience to the residents; and

(d) if so, what are the reasons therefor and action Government propose to take to provide these civic amenities at the earliest and construct roads especially in Sector-III and VIII?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) D.D.A. reports that civic amenities such as roads, water supply, sewerage and sanitation are satisfactory except for repairs on two roads and water supply in some sectors through tubewells.

(c) and (d) D.D.A. reports that only two roads i.e. road from Madhuban Chowk to Rithala Water Treatment Plant passing through Sector 8, 7 & 6 and road from Saraswati Vihar Police Post towards Sector 3, were dug up for laying underground storm water drains. The work has since been completed. The water bound treatment has also been